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razor and ran away. He and Dent had always been good friends, he sald. Dent, he said, was a much larger and stronger man than he. The defendant further said that Jones was under the influence of liquor when he reached the stable that evening and had a pint of whisky with him.

The witness said he was so upset on learning that Dent was dead that he did

not realize what he was saying when examined at the coroner's inquest.
"When did you first apprehend that Doyle was dead?" asked the United States at-

"I can't comprehend your prognostica-"I can't comprehend your prognostication," replied the defendant.

The defense called in turn W. E. Clark, John O'Brien and H. M. Haynor, who had employed Doyle, They testified that his reputation for peace and good order, truth and veracity had always been good, they have. The case of the design of the design of the design of the design of the design. so far as they knew. The case of the de-fense at this point closed.

In Rebuttal.

The government called in rebuttal Detective McNamee and Policeman Burrows. The former said that after the arrest Doyle said to him that he ran away because he was afraid Dent would hit him with the pitchfork. According to Policeman Burrows, Doyle said that after he cut Dent the latter reached for the pitchfork. The testimony was about all in when this report closed.

NEW LABOR FEDERATION.

Proposed to Combine All the Traffic Workers on Lakes.

TOLEDO, Ohio, October 30.-A circular has just been issued to members of the unions interested outlining the plans for the formation of a new Federation of Labor, which is to combine the railroad organizations on the roads that run from the mines to the upper lake ports, and also from the lower lake ports to the mills, and all the marine and dock organizations. The circular points out the folly of labor or-ganizations fighting their battles in isolated groups.

It also points out that all the railroads

and boat lines engaged in the lake ore and coal trade are combined for mutual profit and protection, and that the workers in this field should do the same if they hope to be able to cope with situations that may

The circular has been sent to all the offi-cers of the unions of the proposed federation, and at the close of navigation a meet-ing will be called at Cleveland to form the new federation. It is understood that the officials of the Marine Engineers' Beneficial Association are at the head of the movement. Among the marine organiza-tions to be included are the constituent bodies of the International Longshoremen, the Lake Seamen's Union, the Masters and Pilots' Association, the Tug Firemen and Linemen's Protective Association, on the maritime end of the great laber combine. On the other side will be the unions of men engaged in mining ore and the five powerful railway organizations.

THE COUNTESS ACTED HASTILY. Earl Russell's Former Wife Did Not

Take Advice of Connel. LONDON, October 30.-Countess Russell acted without the knowledge of her legal advisers in cabling to Assistant Secretary Taylor of the Treasury Department at Washington asking for a public apology from him for a statement alleged to have been made by him regarding the divorce granted to Earl Russell in America.

She appears to have been under the im-

She appears to have been under the impression that Mr. Taylor had declared that the American divorce was valid, and that he had thus indirectly indorsed as true any evidence adverse to the countess given in the course of the proceedings in the United States. If she follows the advice of her attorneys the countess will drop the matter.

Condition Improving.

Sister Louise, who is in charge of Providence Hospital, and whose serious illness has been mentioned in The Star several times, is regarded as being much better. She is not yet out of danger, but her re-covery is expected.

struction in Art of Teaching.

SAYS HALLARD DENT PURSUED HIM THE ADDRESSES DELIVERED TODA

Story of the Crime Alleged Re- Founding of New Department in Field Hitherto Overlooked.

THE LOCAL CONDITIONS

With three sessions, devoted to work in the home, the primary work and the general work of the teachers in Sabbath schools, the eighth annual convention of the Sunday School Association of the District of Columbia will come to a close today. The morning assembly was devoted to the home department of the association, and the program included discussion of the methods whereby Sunday school teachers reach the "shut-in" and invalid workers in the cause. This afternoon the delegates are being taught modern methods of expounding the Sunday school lessons for the understanding of primary pupils, "how the blackboard talks" and the use of music in the primary room. The evening meeting will include the report of the committee on nominations, the election of the officers of the association and twelve delegates to the tenth international Sunday school convenion and two addresses.

The discussion of home work naturally drew to Calvary Sunday school house only the delegates to the convention particularly interested in that feature of the work. The meeting was regarded, however, as one of the most practical and helpful ever held at an annual convention of the association. ered the delegates heard innumerable sto-

Miss Katie S. White, the president, opened the meeting with a brief statement in-

Welcome and Review.

fense would expect a verdict of guilty of manslaughter, but not of murder.

After The Star's report of the trial yesterday closed Marion Jones, employed at the stables of the United States Express Company, and who claims to have witenessed the fatal cutting was called to the tended to serve both as a welcome to the nessed the fatal cutting, was called to the stand. He corroborated the assertions of delegates and a review of the past year's work. Thomas Grayson, who had preceded him, before the jury. The government closed its case this morning by examining Fannie Dent, widow of the deceased; William "Twelve new departments are reported

as having been organized since the last convention," she said, "Presbyterian, four; Methodist Episcopal, three; Methodist Protestant, two; Baptist, one; Lutheran, Scheneberger, keeper of the morgue; Policeman David E. Langley, Policeman Lawrence A. O'Dea and Detective Thomas B. one. The total membership in the District is as follows: Methodist Protestant, 136; undenominational, 138; Christian, 196; Lutheran, 212; Congregational, 293; Methodist Episcopal, 460; Baptist, 631, and Presby-terian, 1,121, making a total of 3,157. The

gain during the year was 866.
"The Presbyterian is the banner denomination. It still holds the lead as regards the number of departments and members. Last year its roll included 749; this year 1,121, showing a gain of 372. It now has ixteen departments.

"By means of our union the workers are coming more into personal contact with one another, and this helpful influence is telling establishment of new departments and in the increase of fellowship and interest in the work. I hope there will be more of it in the coming days." The Field Workers.

Mrs. Mary Foster Bryner, one of the field

workers in the primary department for the International Sunday School Association, spoke at some length on the establishment of new societies and the encouragement given home department workers. Instances of families seeking home department help at a distance of 300 miles; of 240 members obtained through the effort of one woman; of societies that grew far beyond even the hopes of their founders, were cited, and the methods adopted explained. The work assigned to children was dwelt upon, particularly the "cradle roll"—a scheme of enrolling bables before their first birthday anniolder members of the department by the youngsters of the infant schools. Finally, the speaker went over in detail the steps necessary to found a new department in a field hitherto unworked, and closed with a very pathetic anecdote of an entire family brought into the Sunday school through the accidental enrollment of a baby's name. Rev. Charles Alvin Smith, pastor of Peck Memorial Chapel, in Georgetown, closed the meeting with a brief application of Mrs. Bryner's principles to local conditions.

Afternoon Program.

This afternoon the delegates are considering the District Primary Union, under the leadership of Mrs. Weston Flint. The program includes an address on "Lesson Construction," by Miss Elizabeth V. Brown; a talk on blackboard instruction by Mrs. Bryner and a paper on music in the pri-mary room by Mrs. Julia T. Bodfish. The last feature of the afternoon will be the teaching of the Sunday school lesson for November 3.

Normal Work Considered. The normal work of the Sunday school

and a night session given over to the general problems of Sunday school labor occupied the delegates yesterday. The attendance at both meetings was large. In the evening, as on the night previous, the church building was filled to the doors. Throughout both sessions of the convention the closest possible interest was manifested, but the object lesson in the instruction of normal classes was apparently the most absorbing feature of the day.

Rev. A. H. McKinney, superintendent of normal work for the state of New York, was the chief speaker of both meetings. In the afternoon he delivered an address on "The What, Why and How of Normal Work," and conducted a class as he would teach the usual normal class in the Sunday school, making use of the audience as pro-tempore pupils. This was set on the pro-gram for 3.30 o'clock, but out of deference to the wishes of many teachers at work in the departments was deferred until 4:20. The lesson evoked demonstrations of the liveliest possible approval. It was moreover, a demonstration of the precepts announced by Mr. McKinney in his address earlier in

Prerequisite to Teacher's Knowledge. The speaker's position was that normal work was a prerequisite to the teacher's knowledge of the Bible and his ability to teach the Bible. Before Mr. McKinney closed he reviewed the normal work now done in New York and touched briefly upon the advance in the training of teachers being Brief talks on the instruction of adult classes were made by Judge Stanton J. Peele of the Church of the Covenant, Mr.

Francis W. Yaugon of Calvary Baptist Church, Miss Katherine J. Laws of Foundry Church, all three having made a particular study of instructing grown-up Sunday school pupils.

Mr. James L. Ewin, second vice president of the association, presided over the afternoon meetings Those who took part in ad-

dition to the speakers indicated were Rev. Gerhart A. Wilson, Dr. F. A. Swartwout and Mrs. Thomas E. Gilbert. Annual Report.

In the evening Judge Peelle presided in

lieu of JudgetoW. L. Chambers, who was unable to be present because of illness. A brief song service preceded the formal ses-

The secretary and field worker, Mr. W. W. Milan, then submitted his annual report, which was, in part, as follows: port, which was, in part, as follows:

"The reports from schools show a very satisfactory condition of affairs, and there is everything to encourage the earnest Sunday school worker in the progress that is being made by the schools within our borders. The gain in enrollment shown by this year's report is small, being only sixty-nine, but this is due to the fact that there is a loss in the Protestant Episcopal schools of 1,036. It is believed that this less is only apparent, and that it is due to the fact that we have never before been able to report accurate statistics for said schools. Omitting this apparent loss, there is a gain of 1,105—a splendid showing. Seventy-five schools, with an enrollment of about 22,000, report 944 uniting with the church from the school, and the reports from decision day show, perhaps, as many more soon to be gathered into the fold. Here is the crowning success of our work.

Total of Contributions. "In contributions the new Washington 100 pairs of Not-tingham Lace Cur-tains, full length and width, good variety of patterns— 68cl

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skin, Box Culf and

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Fine Irish Damask Table Linen, nearly two yards wide. Entirely new fall pat-

and heavy. Regular price, 69c. yard 48C. —for .....

Slx90 Utica Shects, full size for double beds. Each Sheet bears the Utica Mills ticket. Regu-lar price, (Sc.—for

55c!

Men's Regular 25c. Suspenders, in all the popular kinds, including Imitation Guyot, Police and

Firemen's Brace, Fancy Web Suspend-

Fancy Web Suspenders, with nickel buckle, pat. cast-off.

19c1

Regular 50 - cent

Gold-filled Rings, in

various jeweled set-

tings, turquoise,

ruby, pearl, ame-

25c!

Children's 25c. School Aprons, of white India linen, walsts trimmed with embroidery. Large

19c!

thyst, etc .- for

Ladies' regular 25c. Warm Fleece-lined Gloves, in black, navy and brown—button and jersey lengths—for only

14c1

Regular 50c. All-wool Venetian Cloth Dress Goods, 38 inches wide—in blue, tan, Oxford and garnet mixtures—for

29c!

"Florodora Girls" "Duet," "Lone Fisherman" and many others. Bargain Thursday at ..... Ladies' Rembrand

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19cl Surprise Package of Notions for 5c. tomorrow, and if you bought the articles singly you would have to pay three or four times as

Rogers Tea Spoons — each piece 5c. warranted. Tomorrow at.....

Regular 98c. Imported Point Venice Lace Collars, with sailor back; Batten-berg buttons; new and stylish—for

48c1

Wash Boards, well and strongly made—sold regularly at 15 cents 10C. -for Bargain Thursday at.....

50 pieces of "Spun A special offer of Silk" Linings, in a Parlor Lumps, in as-

Excellent quality Black Taffeta Silk, 20 inches wide. Heavy weight, soft, rustling quality—fine luster. Sold over our full line of colors for fall-and a guarcounters every day at 59c.— Worth 18c .-

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with two rows of buttons, of-fered just for Bargain Thurs- 121/2C. day at.....

49c!

Children's \$1.25 Wool Eiderdown Coats, heavily lined with flannel; large collars trim me d with fur and braid. Sizes 6 months to 3 years— Regular 75c. and 98c. Pompons, in all styles, of stiff coque feathers, soft feath-crs, with silk che-nille dots and soft silk floss. All col-ors— 48c1

Ladies' Raglans, in desirable Oxford gray, with newest bell sleeves and \$9.85 tailor-made — for .....

A caseful of Double Bed White Crochet Spreads, in Marseilles patterns, pearl hemmed. For Bargain Thurs- 45C,

PRACTICALLY ALL IN. THE CONFINING WORK

Washington Traction Bonds Deposit-Tomorrow is the last day of the ex-

tended period for the holders of the securities of the Washington Traction and Electric Company to deposit them with the United States Mortgage and Trust Company of New York city, in order to participate in the proposed plan of reorganization. It is stated that practically the entire issue of \$14,300,000 of the Traction bonds have been deposited, and that the plan of reorganization will be carried out.

This plan, in brief, proposes the sale of the securities of the various corporations whose shares of stocks and bonds are

pledged as a mortgage represented by the bonds of the Traction company and the organization of a new company under the act of Congress of June 5, 1900, which is to acquire the securities referred to.

swallowed poison last night and was made ill. The child drank the liquid from a bottle. When her condition was discovered was taken to the Homeopathic Hospital, where the doctors relieved her of he poison and this morning she had fully recovered.

A jury in Circuit Court No. 1. Chief Jus

tice Bingham presiding, has reported a verdict in favor of the Metropolitan Railroad Company as the outcome of the trial of the suit instituted against that company by Daniel Parke Peter and Elizabeth Calvert Peter, his wife. It was claimed that September 4, 1899, while on 9th street between K street and Massachusetts avenue Mrs. Peter was thrown to the ground from a car of the company and injured, through alleged carelessness of employes in start-ing the car. The company asserted that the accident was due to carelessness on the part of Mrs. Peter.

A meeting of the bar of the District of Columbia will be held on Friday next, November 1, at 1 o'clock p.m. in the old Circuit Court room, now Criminal Court No. 2. City Hall, to take appropriate action upon the deaths of the late Calderon Car lisie, Jeremiah M. Wilson, James S. Edwards, Frank T. Browning, Walter D. Davidge, O. D. Barrett, George C. Payne and John Critcher. Mr. Chapin Brown, presi-dent of the Bar Association of the District of Columbia, will preside.

Wife Asks for Divorce. Charging that Adolph Heuse is an habit ial drunkard, his wife, Lucy Heuse, today petitioned the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia to grant her a divorce from him. The parties were married No vember 26, 1894, and have two children.

By the terms of the will of Georgie T Lyles, dated the 18th instant, her property is left to her two children, with the pro

Order Affecting Appraisers' Verdict In the matter of the extension of 5th street, Le Droit Park, Justice Hagner today signed an order to the effect that the verdict of the jury of appraisers will be confirmed unless cause to the contrary be shown the 13th of November. in the DEPARTMENTS

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Decree of Divorce Signed. Justice Hagner, in Equity Court No. 1, this afternoon signed a decree granting Arthur Ernest Buchanan a divorce from Maud Edna Buchanan on the ground of desertion

Dr. von Holleben En Route Here. BERLIN, October 30 .- Dr. von Holleben. the German ambassador to the United States, arrived here today from Carlsbad

on his way to America. He is wonderfully refreshed, in excellent spirits and glad to return to Washington. The ambassador says President Roosevelt will undoubtedly do everything possible to maintain friendly relations with Germany.

## Three Months in Jail. sentence of three months in jail in default of a fine of \$30 was imposed on Ar-

thur Washington, colored, by Judge Scott today for assaulting Katie Seaton. The woman said Washington stabbed her while they were on their way home from a dance Thursday night. Katie said she did not know she had been stabbed until the next morning, and then she summoned a doctor. She told the court that jealousy prompted the deed.

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10 ft. 6 in.x12 ft.....\$23.50

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10 ft. 6 in.x14 ft......\$25.50

number of times, but denied the charge. He said he accompanied the woman home from a "beer drink," and he was surprised when he learned she had been stabbed. "This climate doesn't agree with me very well," remarked the passenger with the

ough. "Well, to tell the truth," responded the know she had been stabbed until the next chance acquaintance in the next seat, "there are times when it disagrees with me, too, in the most provoking and ridiculous manner. I'm the man who makes the official weather predictions."—Tit Bits.

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lated by Witness.

TESTIMONY CONCLUDED

Shortly after the trial of Charles Doyle,

colored, under indictment for the murder

the 18th of last July of Hallard Dent, also

colored, by cutting his throat with a ra-

zor, was resumed this morning in Criminal

Court No. 1 United States Attorney Gould

announced that the case of the government

was closed. Attorney Frisby of counsel

for Doyle thereupon outlined in an address

According to Attorney Frisby, Thomas

Grayson, who appeared yesterday as a wit-

ness for the government, was intoxicated the evening of the 18th of July. Grayson

demanded that Doyle go to a lunch room

and get him something to eat. Doyle's

refusal to do so angered Grayson. Doyle walked up an incline into the stable and Grayson followed. Doyle told Grayson to

At this point Dent Interfered, taking Grayson's part. Dent stood over Doyle in

a menacing attitude. Doyle walked away from them and proceeded to the harness

room preparatory to going home. Dent followed and Doyle admonished him to go

away, explaining that he did not want to have any trouble with him. The latter

reached for a pitchfork and was in the act of using it on Doyle, when the defendant

cut him. If the foregoing facts should be established, said Attorney Frisby, the de-

McNamee, for the purpose of establishing the death of Dent and the manner of the

Testifies in His Own Behalf.

The defense was opened by Doyle taking

the stand in his own behalf. He told of the exchange of words between Grayson and

himself relative to going after the lunch,

and of Grayson following him up into the stable. Doyle says he sat down when he

reached the second floor of the stable, and Grayson remarked to him:

"You're not so warm, if you keep your feet on the ground."

At this point, he said, Dent interjected: "If you can't make him keep his feet down

Doyle testified that he told Dent he did

not want to have any trouble with him. Dent stood over him, he said, as though

"You'e nothing but a coward, anyhow, and if I give you a left-hand blow it will be the end of you."

Doyle started for the harness room, he

said, and Dent followed, repeating the re-mark: "You ain't nothing but a coward,

Continuing, Doyle says he noticed a razor

lying in the harness room. He took it out with him, thinking the others would not

trouble him if they saw he had the weapon. Dent put his fist over Doyle's shoulder and

repeated the remark quoted. Doyle shoved Dent back, and, seeing he could not get by,

Dent followed, shoved his right fist over Doyle's shoulder, grabbed the pitchfork with his left hand and again declared, "I've

got a great mind to smash you anyhow.
If I give you a blow it will end you."

Cut Dent and Ran Away.

Doyle thereupon cut at Dent with the

he meant to strike him, and exclaimed:

tie 'em down."

to the jury the position of the defense.

Charles Doyle Denies That He is Sunday School Workers Receive In-Guilty of Murder.

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98c!

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Fine grade All-wool Black Satin Soliel Dress Goods, 40 Inches wide— with high finish. Regular price, 75c. yard—

package for.....

55c!

Regular 25-cent Bisque Figures, in a large variety of choice subjects-offered Bargain Thursday

Ladies' Black Sateen Petticoats, with deep umbrella ruffle, well stiffened

and small rub bottom. T 69cl

Regular \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00 Skirts, both

walking and dress skirts. The former of Vicunas, Homespuns and Thibets, with tailoredstitched flounces and strapped seams. Black, gray, blue and Oxford.

with an average of a little over \$9 per member. Many schools have failed to report the amount of money raised, but

about 30,000 officers, teachers and scholars We report this year 159 white Protestant evangelical schools (including three Chinese missions) in the District, a net increase of two. The changes for the year have been as follows: Additions-Baptist, ; Christian, 1; Presbyterian, 2; Protestan Episcopal, 2. Losses—Chinese mission, 1; Methodist Episcopal, 1; Presbyterian, 1; Protestant Episcopal (from error in last report), 1; transferred from Union to Pres-

"The statistics for the year show the fellowing as the ten largest schools, with their enrollment: Calvary Baptist, 1,834; byterian, 1. First Congregational, 801; Hamline M. E., 711; Waugh M. E., 675; Metropolitan Presbyterian, 646; Ninth Street Christian, 600; Eastern Presbyterian, 598; Gurley Me-morial Presbyterian, 575; Wesley M. E., 561; Second Baptist, 556. Other schools with an enrollment of 500 or more are: Wilson Memorial M. E., 515; Peck Me-morial Presbyterian, 508; Douglas Memo-

rial M. E., 500." Receipts and Expenditures. Treasurer J. H. Lichliter, in the course of his report, indicated total receipts of \$526.60 and total expenditures of \$403.03, and an unexpended balance of \$123.57. Unpaid obligations were indicated as follows: Expenses incidental to the convention, \$150; pledge to the international committee, \$35: an indefinite sum for the current expenses of the association during the coming year and funds for the maintenance of the pri-

Brief talks on "decision day" by E. Booraem of Hamline Church and Dr. H. H. Seltzer of Keller Memorial Church and an address on "Adolescence" by Mr. McKinney closed the evening meeting.
"Adolescence" was the period, said Mr.
McKinney, between the ages of twelve years-childhood-and twenty-four or tweny-five years-manhood. It was the mos important period in a person's life. The most usual trait in a child of the adolescent age was self-consciousness. Young chil-dren were artless, but within several years

In children of the adolescent period were the beginnings of many things-ambition, pride, philanthropy, courage and emotions. Skepticism, which is seen at the age of nineteen or thereabouts, had its beginning at twelve or thirteen. A boy doubted

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pecame remarkably self-conscious.

naturally, but with a wise adviser would not be the worse for his doubts. The physi-cal forces at work during the period of adolescence were no more real or powerful than the moral forces. In that view of the case the speaker asked the teachers to look "with a gentle eye, a loving heart and a kindly judgment on the children grown out of childhood but not yet advanced into man-Rev. J. Fred Heisse closed the meeting

The Closing Program.

the following program, Judge W. L. Chambers presiding: Service of song, led by Sunday school chorus, Mrs. Julia T. Bod-Sunday school chorus, Mrs. Julia T. Bod-fish, director; Prof. A. D. Mayo, organist; Mrs. T. E. Gilbert, planist; reading of Scriptures and prayer, Rev. J. G. Butler, D.D.; report of committee on nominations; election of officers and twelve delegates to the tenth international S. S. convention; offering; music by Sunday school chorus; address, "Pointers," Mrs. Mary Foster Bryner; address, "The Old Bible for the New Century," Rev. Oliver C. Huckel, D.D.; report of committee on resolutions; music by port of committee on resolutions; music by Sunday school chorus; prayer and benedic-tion, Rev. H. R. Naylor, D.D.; adjourn-ment.

enough is at hand to show that in round numbers \$35,000 has been contributed by

Child Drinks Poison. Ruth Carroll, a colored infant, whose

parents live at 1401 1st street northwest,

Verdict for Defendant.

Memory of Deceased Members.

Tonight the convention will close with Property Left to Children.

viso that her husband shall have the right to occupy premises 215 8th street north-east as a home jointly with the children.